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In re Application of: Ronald H. Miller, et al.
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Group Art Unit: 2123
Examiner: Hugh M. Jones
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SIMULATION

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RESPONSE PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

In response to the Office Action mailed February 12, 2003, Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner reconsider the rejection of the claims in view of the comments and amendments set forth below. Please amend the application as follows: